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May 3, 2007

Vernon Williams, Secretary **Surface Transportation Board** 395 E Street SW Washington, DC 20024

RE: **Escanaba and Lake Superior Railroad Company**

Dear Secretary Williams:

I have enclosed an original and one (1) copy/counterpart of the document described below, to be recorded pursuant to Section 11301 of Title 49 of the US Code.

This document is a Termination and Release of Security Interest, a secondary document, dated April 25, 1997. The primary document to which this is connected is recorded under Recordation Number 14765.

The names and addresses of the parties to the documents are as follows:

General Electric Capital Corporation (formerly known as Assignee:

General Electric Credit Corporation)

1600 Summer Street

Stamford, Connecticut 06904

Escanaba & Lake Superior Railroad Company Borrower:

> One Larkin Plaza Wells, MI 49894

A description of the equipment covered by the document is as follows:

General Motors (Electro Motive Division) GP38, 2,000 H.P. Diesel Electric Locomotive built in 1970 having current Conrail locomotive number 7843.

A fee of Thirty-four Dollars (\$34.00) is enclosed. Please return the original and any extra copies not needed by the Board for recordation to the undersigned. A preaddressed, stamped envelope is enclosed for your convenience.

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A short summary of the document to appear in the index:

Termination and Release of Security Interest by General Electric Capital Corporation (formerly known as General Electric Credit Corporation) which terminates, releases and discharges its security interest as reflected in a Locomotive Lease Agreement between General Electric Capital Corporation (formerly known as General Electric Credit Corporation) and Escanaba & Lake Superior Railroad Company filed with the Secretary of the Surface Transportation Board on August 6, 1985 under Recordation Number 14765.

Very Truly Yours,

WESLEY W. HOFFMAN & ASSOCIATES, P.C.

By:

Attorney for Wisconsin Community Bank-Heartland Business Bank – Green Bay Branch

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cc: Heartland Business Bank

- Craig D. Aderhold
- Julie Lemminger

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May 17, 2007

Ms. Karen January Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street SW Washington, DC 20024

RE: Escanaba and Lake Superior Railroad Company Terminations

Dear Ms. January:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation this afternoon, enclosed is our check in the amount of Two Dollars (\$2.00) to cover the shortage on the filing fee submitted on May 3, 2007.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very Truly Yours,

WESLEY W. HOFFMAN & ASSOCIATES, P.C.

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Debbie Villas Legal Assistant

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The undersigned, General Electric Capital Corporation (formerly known as General Electric Credit Corporation), for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, hereby terminates, releases and discharges its security interest in The Locomotive Lease Agreement, dated as of July 8, 1985, between it and Escanaba & Lake Superior Railroad Company, and all railroad locomotives and equipment covered therein.

Said Lease was filed on August 6, 1985 with the Secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission, predecessor to the Surface Transportation Board under Recordation Number 14765.

Dated this <u>35</u> day of <u>4001</u>, 20<u>67</u>.

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL

CORPORATION

lts:

Anne Kennelly Kratky

Vice President

State of Connecticut

ss.(Stamford)

County of Fairfield

On this 35 day of April, 2007, before me, Mary Anne Huhtanen, the undersigned officer, personally appeared whole Year Ky, who acknowledged himself to be Vice President of General Electric Capital Corporation (formerly known as General Electric Credit Corporation), and that he as Vice President, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained, by signing the name of the corporation by himself as Vice President.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand.

Mary Anne Huhtanen

Notary Public

MARY ANNE HUHTANEN

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I, Debra L. Villas, Secretary of WESLEY W. HOFFMAN & ASSOCIATES, PC, and a notary public in the County of Menominee, State of Michigan, hereby certify that I have compared the copy of the Termination and Release of Security Interest with the original and have found the copy to be complete and identical in all respects to the original document.

Debra L. Villas, Notary Public Menominee County, Michigan

My commission expires: 11-06-2007

Acting in Menominee County.